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MICHAEL P. FLANAGAN
STATE SUPERINTENDENT

March 25, 2014

MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Michael P. Flanagan, Chairman

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "M. Flanagan".

Subject: Approval of Special Education Advisory Committee Nominations

The Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) advises the State Board of Education on matters concerning the education of children with disabilities. The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act requires that this advisory committee include a 51% representation of persons with, or parents of children with, disabilities (ages birth through 26). The Michigan Department of Education will have reached compliance pending approval of the nominations as contained herein.

Attachment A lists the organizations currently represented on the SEAC. Attachment B Lists the names of eleven persons nominated by their organizations as delegates to fill organizational membership vacancies, seven persons nominated as Alternates, and four At-Large members to fill current vacancies.

Resumes of those persons to be appointed as Delegates, Alternates and At-Large members to the SEAC are found in Attachment C.

It is recommended that the State Board of Education approve eleven organizational delegates, seven organizational alternates and four at-large nominations for the terms specified in Attachment B of the Superintendent's memorandum dated March 25, 2014.

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**ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTED ON THE
SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Acronym</u>
1. American Federation of Teachers Michigan	AFTMi
2. Association for Children's Mental Health	ACMH
3. Autism Society of Michigan	ASM
4. Council for Exceptional Children	CEC
5. Learning Disability Association of Michigan	LDAM
6. Michigan Alliance for Families	MAF
7. Michigan Association for Children with Emotional Disorders	MACED
8. Michigan Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development	MASCD
9. Michigan Association of Administrators of Special Education	MAASE
10. Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators	MAISA
11. Michigan Association of Intermediate Special Ed. Administrators	MAISEA
12. Michigan Association of Local Special Education Administrators	MALSEA
13. Michigan Association of Teachers of Children with Emotional Impairments	MATEDC
14. Michigan Association of Nonpublic Schools	MANS
15. Michigan Association of Public School Academies	MAPSA
16. Michigan Association of School Administrators	MASA
17. Michigan Association of School Boards	MASB
18. Michigan Association of School Social Workers	MASSW
19. Michigan Association of School Psychologists	MASP
20. Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals	MASSP
21. Michigan Education Association	MEA
22. Michigan Speech-Language-Hearing Association	MSLHA
23. Michigan Transition Services Association	MTSA
24. Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association	MEMSPA

In addition to the organizational seats, eight At-Large members are appointed by the State Board of Education. Presently, there are four At-Large vacancies to be filled.

SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Individual Nominations and their Respective Terms of Service

Organizational Delegate Nominations		
Name	Representing	Length of Term
Michelle DeJulian*	Michigan Association of School Social Workers	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Latika Fenderson	American Federation of Teachers Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Maggie Kolk*	The Arc Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Wendy Minor*	Michigan Council for Exceptional Children	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Caryn Pack-Ivey*	Michigan Alliance for Families	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Angela Pakledinaz*	Michigan Education Association	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Kathy Peasley	Michigan Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Jane Shank ¹	Association for Children's Mental Health	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2016
Jennifer Trackwell*	Michigan Transition Services Association	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Mary Vratana	Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Vicki White*	Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

¹Served one previous year on the SEAC

*Person with or parent of a child (birth through 26) with a disability

Organizational Alternate Nominations		
Name	Representing	Length of Term
Regina Carey^	Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Michelle A. Driscoll*^	The Arc Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Chandra Jones*^	Michigan Alliance for Families	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Lois Lofton-Doniver^	American Federation of Teachers Michigan	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
John Pakledinaz*^	Michigan Education Association	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Marsha Wharton ^	Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
William Young*^	Michigan Association of Teachers of Children with Emotional Impairments	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

*Person with or parent of a child (birth through 26) with a disability

^Alternate

At-Large Nominations	
Name	Length of Term
Lisa Eldred*	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
Karen Kleinheksel*	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2016
Nicole Miller*	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017
John Patterson*	July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

*Person with or parent of a child (birth through 26) with a disability

**Biographical Resume: Special Education Advisory Committee
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Michelle DeJulian	
Business Address: Trenton Public Schools 2601 Charlton Road Trenton, Michigan 48183	Summer Address: 7761 Ferry Road Grosse Ile, Michigan 48138
Business Telephone: 734.676.2177, ext 311	Cell Phone: 734-620-3242
Business E-mail: dejulian@trentonschools.com	Home E-mail: mdjbam@hotmail.com
Present Position: School Social Worker	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Association of School Social Workers	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: SEAC representative 2009-2011 SEAC alternate 2011-2014	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: MASSW Region A President 2012-present MASSW Executive Board Member 2009-present	
Education: B.A., Hillsdale College MSW, University of Michigan	
Miscellaneous Information: CSMT Coordinator/Chair-Grant Holder 2013-present	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Maggie Kolk	
Business Address: The ARC Kent 2922 Fuher Avenue, N.E. Grand Rapids, Michigan 49505	Summer Address: 5646 W. 22 nd Street Fremont, Michigan 49412
Business Telephone: 616-459-3339	Cell Phone: 616-780-5783
Business E-mail: Maggie@arckent.org	Home E-mail: maggie59@gmail.com
Present Position: Advocate	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: The Arc Michigan	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Prior SEAC member and alternate, Advocate for 20 years in the disability community	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: President, Arc Newaygo County; Member, Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 135; Member Arc Michigan and U.S.	
Education: B.S. in Political Science	
Miscellaneous Information: Parent of 25 year old daughter with a disability	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Wendy Minor	
Business Address: Van Buren ISD 490 s. Paw Paw St. Lawrence, Michigan 49064	Summer Address: 45862 Winchester Circle Mattawan, Michigan 49071
Business Telephone: 269.539.5112	Cell Phone: 269-308-1155
Business E-mail: wminor@vbisd.org	Home E-mail:
Present Position: Planner/Monitor for Special Education	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Council for Exceptional Children	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Past President of Michigan Council for Exceptional Children and SEAC Alternate for past three years. Current MCEC executive board member; member of MAASE	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education: B.S. Elementary and Special Education, WMU; ZA Early Childhood Endorsement, WMU; M.A. Special Education, GVSU.	
Miscellaneous Information:	
Parent of a high school student with a learning disability and another son who received speech therapy for 5 years.	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Caryn Pack Ivey	
Business Address: Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit 3111 Grand River Detroit, Michigan 48208	Summer Address:
Business Telephone: 313-557-8779	Cell Phone: 313-920-9592
Business E-mail: caryn@michiganallianceforfamilies.org	Home E-mail: capiv@comcast.net
Present Position: Region 1 Director	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Alliance for Families	
Race:* <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Previous SEAC member, Board Member for MDDC, Arc of Northwest Wayne County; and United Cerebral Palsy of Detroit	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Advisory Group member to Michigan Rehab Council; Partners in Policymaking graduate	
Education: B.A., Music and Business, Marygrove College	
Miscellaneous Information: Parent of 17 year old with a disability	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Angela Pakledinaz	
Business Address: 268 E. Ohio Farwell, Michigan 48622	Summer Address: 1143 Clubhouse Drive Farwell, Michigan 48622
Business Telephone: 989-588-9916	Cell Phone: 989-429-8359
Business E-mail: apakledinaz@farwellschools.net	Home E-mail: apakledinaz@hotmail.com
Present Position: Kindergarten teacher	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Education Association	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Elementary teacher	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Michigan Education Association	
Education: Bachelor of Science in Education, Reading Recovery Teacher	
Miscellaneous Information:	
Federal legislation mandates that the SEAC membership be comprised of at least 51% of "persons with or parents of a child with a disability." If a parent, the child needs to be under 26 years of age and receiving special education services for the duration of the appointment. To ensure compliance relative to the 51% membership, we ask you to identify if you meet that definition. <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No </div>	

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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Kathy Peasley	
Business Address: 220 Lamson Road Grand Ledge, MI 48837	Summer Address: 220 Lamson Road Grand Ledge, MI 48837
Business Telephone: 517-925-5403	Cell Phone: 989-954-3141 (please do not publish)
Business E-mail: peasleyk@glcomets.net	Home E-mail: peasleyk@glcomets.net
Present Position: Assistant Superintendent for Academic Services, Grand Ledge Public Schools	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: Interim Superintendent – Grand Ledge Public Schools Director of General Education – Ionia County ISD Director of General Education – Clare-Gladwin RESD Adjunct Faculty – Central Michigan University Adjunct Faculty – Michigan State University Director of the Science/Mathematics/Technology Center – Central Michigan University Program Evaluation Consultant – Science and Math Program Improvement Office, WMU Assessment Consultant – Midland Public Schools	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Michigan Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (MiASCD) Michigan Association of School Administrators (MASA)	
Education: B.S. Ferris State College – Biology and Chemistry M.S. Central Michigan University – Biology Education Ph.D. Michigan State University – Curriculum, Teaching and Educational Policy	
Miscellaneous Information: Federal legislation mandates that the SEAC membership be comprised of at least 51% of "persons with or parents of a child with a disability." If a parent, the child needs to be under 26 years of age and receiving special education services for the duration of the appointment. To ensure compliance relative to the 51% membership, we ask you to identify if you meet that definition. <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No </div>	

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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2016

Name: Jane Shank	
Business Address: 223 Dubonnet Trail Interlochen, Michigan 49643	Summer Address:
Business Telephone: 231-943-0368	Cell Phone: 231-632-6650
Business E-mail: acmhjane@sbcglobal.net	Home E-mail: janeandpooh1218@yahoo
Present Position: Executive Director	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Association for Children's Mental Health	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: Interim Executive Director, Association for Children's Mental Health. Worked in maximum security prison, providing mental health care to males between the ages of 14 and 20 who had been adjudicated as adults. Field practicum for MSW was in the office of a school social worker.	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: NASW; Chair of PAIMI Council for Michigan Protection and Advocacy Services; MP&A board member; Member of the Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health	
Education: B.S. in Medical Technology, Michigan State University; MSW, Grand Valley State University	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Jennifer Trackwell	
Business Address: 1425 West Grand River Howell, Michigan 48843	Summer Address: 3770 Audrey Rae Lane Howell, Michigan 48843
Business Telephone: 517-540-6839	Cell Phone: 517-202-0748
Business E-mail: jennifertrackwell@livingstonesa.org	Home E-mail: trackwelj@yahoo.com
Present Position: Adult Transition Coordinator and Special Education Provider for W-A-Y for Livingston ESA	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Transition Services Association	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Self- contained EI Teacher for Livingston ESA	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Treasurer, Michigan Transition Services Association; Board Member, Livingston County Business and Education Alliance	
Education: Currently enrolled in the graduate program at Michigan State University pursuing Special Education MA degree	
Miscellaneous Information: Nominated as a candidate for the 2012-2013 Michigan Teacher of the Year	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Mary Vratanina	
Business Address: Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle ESD 6065 Learning Lane Indian River, Michigan 49749	Summer Address:
Business Telephone: 231-238-9394, ext. 200	Cell Phone:
Business E-mail: mvrat@copese.org	Home E-mail:
Present Position: Superintendent	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: Special Education background	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators, Michigan Association of School Administrators	
Education: Bachelor and Master Degrees	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Delegate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Vicki White	
Business Address:	Summer Address: 320 Creston Avenue Lansing, Michigan 48906
Business Telephone:	Cell Phone:
Business E-mail:	Home E-mail: Vicki.marie.white@gmail.com
Present Position:	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Currently serves as the Alternate for the Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education:	
Miscellaneous Information: Parent of two children under the age of 26 with Individualized Education Programs	
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Alternate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Regina Carey	
Business Address: Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan Suite 101 200 Museum Drive Lansing, Michigan 48933	Summer Address: 3816 Sandlewood Drive Okemos, Michigan 48864
Business Telephone:	Phone: 517-927-7115
Business E-mail:	Home E-mail: coachmecarey@gmail.com
Present Position: served as SEAC delegate for past three years	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience:	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education:	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Alternate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Michelle A. Driscoll	
Business Address: The Arc of Northwest Wayne County 26049 Five Mile Road Redford, Michigan 48239	Summer Address: 1164 Knightsbridge Road Canton, Michigan 48187
Business Telephone: 313-532-7915	Phone: 734-718-7029
Business E-mail: mdriscoll@thearcnw.org	Home E-mail:
Present Position: Advocacy and Community Resource Director	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: The Arc Michigan	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: SEAC Alternate	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Member, Michigan Transition Services Association; Member, Arc Northwest Wayne County, Arc Michigan and Arc of the United States	
Education: B.S. Psychology, B.S. Law Enforcement Administration	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Alternate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Chandra Jones	
Business Address:	Summer Address: 3931 Sashabaw Road Waterford, Michigan 48329
Business Telephone:	Home Phone: 248-618-8818
Business E-mail:	Home E-mail: scjones415@yahoo.com
Present Position:	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Alliance for Families	
Race:* <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: Alternate for the Michigan Interagency Coordinating Council (Part C); Served as At-Large member of the SEAC for three years.	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education: B.A., Family Life Education, Spring Arbor University; AAS, Mental Health/Social Work, Oakland Community College; AAS/Early Childhood Development, Oakland Community College; AAS, General Studies, Oakland Community College	
Miscellaneous Information: Son, 10 years old currently in Special Education	
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Alternate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: Lois Lofton-Doniver	
Business Address: 2661 E. Jefferson Detroit, Michigan 48207	Summer Address: 16545 Shaftsbury Detroit, Michigan 48219
Business Telephone: 313-393-2200	Phone: 313-330-4762
Business E-mail:	Home E-mail: ldoniver@yahoo.com
Present Position: Chair, Statewide AFT Michigan Special Education Committee; Director for Professional Development, AFT Michigan	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: American Federal of Teachers Michigan	
Race:* <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: SEAC Delegate 2011-2014; Retired Special Education Teacher; Active PTA Council member for Special Education, metro area	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Michigan PTA; Michigan Department of Education BAA Advisory Committee; AFT SCCS for Special Education	
Education: Bachelor in Special Education; Master Degree in Education Sociology	
Miscellaneous Information: Mental Health First Aid Provider	
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Alternate Term of Appointment: July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2017

Name: John Pakledinaz	
Business Address: 399 E. Michigan Street Farwell, Michigan 48622	Summer Address: 1143 Clubhouse Drive Farwell, Michigan 48622
Business Telephone: 989-429-8208	Phone: same
Business E-mail: jpakledinaz@farwellschools.net	Home E-mail: jpakledinaz@gmail.com
Present Position: Teacher	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Education Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/> Board Member's Nominee (indicate name of Board Member):	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: High School Teacher	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: Michigan Education Association	
Education: Bachelor Science, Central Michigan University	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Present Position: Student Achievement Specialist	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: Elementary and Middle School Administrator – 14 years Elementary Teacher, Reading Specialist – 15 years	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: MEMSPA, ASCD	
Education: Current Doctoral Student in Educational Leadership at Michigan State University Certificate in Ed Leadership – Oakland University Masters' in Early Childhood – Wayne State University Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education – Wayne State University	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Present Position: Behavior Management Consultant	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization: Michigan Association of Teachers of Children with Emotional Impairments	
Race:* <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: I have served on the MATCEI board for the past two years. I have presented at national conferences on Bullying and Relationship Building.	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: MATCEI Board of Directors.	
Education: MA, in Family Life Education. Certifications to train in; Parent Talk, Values Clarification, Problem Solving and Listening Skills. Transactional Analysis and Positive Peer Culture.	
Miscellaneous Information: I have worked with at risk and handicap students for most of my career. I have worked in the Juvenile Justice System with hard core Juveniles. Currently I am working with Severely Emotionally Impaired high school students from twelve different school districts. My wife and I have full guardianship of our Grand Daughter since she was two months. She is ADHD and is being treated for Juvenile Empathic arthritis. I also have a birth defect that <u>affects my ability to walk.</u>	
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Present Position: Teacher	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> At-Large	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	
Prior Experience: PAC Chairperson for AAESA PAC	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education: Bachelor of Science from Western Michigan University	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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Present Position: member of Parent Advisors of Special Education, Kent ISD	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> At-Large	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: elementary and special education teacher, certified guidance counselor	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education: graduate of Hope College and Grand Valley State University	
Miscellaneous Information: daughter receives special education services	
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Present Position: Chair of PAC for TBAISD, Regional Parent Mentor for Northwest MI, Michigan Alliance for Families	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> At-Large	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: I have served as the Chair for TBAISD PAC for two years and as a member for six. I have served as a board member for Northern Lakes CMH for two years. I am an active member of the Grand Traverse RICC and various community groups.	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations:	
Education: I have a BS from Oakland University and a MA from Wayne State University, both in biological science. I worked for Henry Ford Hospital and Wayne State University as a medical researcher and have professional certification related to that work.	
Miscellaneous Information: I have a 9 year old son with autism.	
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Present Position: Special Education Teacher 7 th /8 th , Interventionist	
Category <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> At-Large	
Race:* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (*requested in order to obtain diverse representation)	Gender: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Prior Experience: I have taught special education for the last three years. In that time I have worked with students who have a variety of disabilities, ranging from mild to severe. I am also the father of a seven-year-old son who has multiple disabilities (Noonan's syndrome, visual impairment, leukemia). I have been a mentor for a child with Tourette's syndrome and worked as a tutor, both private; and with a Kalamazoo based occupational therapist's office.	
Educational and Other Organizational Affiliations: None	
Education: BA of Arts, Communication studies/social work, Western Michigan University (2002), BA of Science, Special Education, Western Michigan University (2011)	
Miscellaneous Information:	
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